

# KET LEVEL A1

## READING AND WRITING

### Part 1: Matching

Where can you see these notices? For question 1 - 5, choose and write the correct letters A – H.

<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>If you want to buy a refrigerator, write an email to this person. <input type="text"/></li> <li>You cannot let your pet run free here. <input type="text"/></li> <li>Customers can only pay in cash. <input type="text"/></li> <li>You mustn't take pictures inside the building. <input type="text"/></li> <li>We are closed at the weekend. <input type="text"/></li> </ol>	<div style="display: flex; flex-wrap: wrap;"> <div style="width: 50%;"> <p><b>a</b> SLOW DOWN SCHOOL ZONE AHEAD</p> <p><b>c</b> • MIERAKI GREEK GRILL • Sun - Fri 11 am - 9 pm Sat 6:30 pm - 9 pm</p> <p><b>e</b> ▶ ITALIAN PIZZA HOUSE ◀ Open for lunch and dinner Monday - Friday</p> <p><b>g</b> ✧ GALLERY ✧ No photography No video recording</p> </div> <div style="width: 50%;"> <p><b>b</b> All visitors must register at the office — y —</p> <p><b>d</b> "FOR SALE" Nearly new fridge freezer johnnydee@yahoo.com</p> <p><b>f</b> DOGS MUST BE KEPT ON A LEAD AT ALL TIMES</p> <p><b>h</b> SORRY WE DO NOT ACCEPT CREDIT CARDS — y —</p> </div> </div>
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Which notice (A-J) says this (1-10)? Write the letters A-J.

<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Adults only. <input type="text"/></li> <li>You should drive carefully. <input type="text"/></li> <li>You don't have to pay if you're eight. <input type="text"/></li> <li>You shouldn't leave your car here. <input type="text"/></li> <li>The shop closes in the afternoon. <input type="text"/></li> <li>You should call for more information. <input type="text"/></li> <li>You mustn't swim here. <input type="text"/></li> <li>This place is not open at midnight. <input type="text"/></li> <li>You can use this number to get more information. <input type="text"/></li> <li>You will need to wait if you want to swim here. <input type="text"/></li> </ol>	<div style="display: flex; flex-wrap: wrap;"> <div style="width: 50%;"> <p><b>A</b> Please phone for more details.</p> <p><b>B</b> • Museum • <b>FREE</b> to children under nine</p> <p><b>C</b> You have to be over <b>18</b> to watch this film.</p> <p><b>G</b> This door is locked after 12:00 a.m.</p> <p><b>H</b> ✧ POOL CLOSED ✧ TEMPORARILY ✧ FOR CLEANING ✧</p> </div> <div style="width: 50%;"> <p><b>D</b> Please DON'T park in front of our shop.</p> <p><b>E</b> OPENING HOURS 9 am – 11.30 am</p> <p><b>F</b> DANGEROUS DEEP WATER KEEP OUT</p> <p><b>I</b> ✧ FOR LEASE/SALE ✧ Call for details (080) 808-8088</p> <p><b>J</b> SLOW DOWN! CHILDREN CROSSING</p> </div> </div>
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## Part 2: Reading and Writing

Read the sentences about going to a department store. Choose the best word (A, B or C) for each space.

- Isabella usually ..... elegant jackets and very expensive shoes.  
a. dresses      b. carries c. wears
- She ..... her shopping at Harrods every Friday.  
a. goes      b. makes c. does
- Isabella said she would pay for the clothes by credit .....  
a. Card      b. note      c. cheque
- Isabella asked the shop assistant to put the fruit in a .....  
a. Suitcase      b. bag      c. handbag
- You can get almost anything you want in one of those big shopping .....  
a. Centres      b. shops c. stores

Complete the sentences with the past continuous of the verbs.

- Sarah \_\_\_\_\_ (run) in the park.
- I \_\_\_\_\_ (try) to tie the rope on the rock.
- \_\_\_\_\_ you \_\_\_\_\_ (do) athletics last weekend?
- They \_\_\_\_\_ (go) swimming in the hotel pool.
- Eric \_\_\_\_\_ (dream) of winning the marathon

Write questions using the past continuous.

- you / play football / at four o'clock?  
\_\_\_\_\_
- the children / swim / when it started to rain?  
\_\_\_\_\_
- Kevin / talk on the phone / when his dad came home?  
\_\_\_\_\_
- your mum / watch the match / when you called?  
\_\_\_\_\_
- the boys / play tennis / when they broke the window?  
\_\_\_\_\_

## Part 3: Multiple- choice replies.

Complete the conversation Steve has with the agent. What does he say to the agent? For question 1 - 5, choose and write in front the number the correct letter (A - H).

1. Agent: Hello, Madame Tussauds enquiries. Can I help you? Steve: 1) .....	A. Is there usually a long queue?
2. Agent: Yes, we are, from half past nine to half past six. Steve: 2) .....	B. Excuse me - how long does it take?
3. Agent: If you are under 14, it'll be £11.50. Steve: 3) .....	C. How much does it cost?
4. Agent: Yes, but if you come before 9 there won't be a queue. Steve: 4) .....	D. How do I get there by bus?
5. Agent: If you take 204 from Brent, you'll see the signs. Anything else? Steve: 5) ..... Agent: You're welcome. Goodbye.	E. Give it to me. F. Never mind. G. Are you open tomorrow? H. That's great. Thank you very much.

Complete the five conversations. For questions 1 - 5, circle (A, B or C).

1. Will you lend me your laptop?  
a. No way.      B. Never mind.      C. I'm sorry to hear that.
2. Excuse me, how do I get to the station?  
a. Go straight on, then turn left.      B. That's right. Here you are.      C. You can get one right now.
3. Which one are you going to choose?  
a. Yes, I do.      B. I can't decide.      C. I hope so.
4. It's good to see you again.  
a. Not yet.      B. Don't mention it.      C. You too.
5. You really should see the doctor.  
a. Yes, you're right.      B. You are welcome.      C. Yes, he does.

Complete the sentences with the past simple or past continuous of the verbs.

When the phone rang (ring), Mike was trying (try) to iron his T-shirt.

1. The player \_\_\_\_\_ (score) the goal while the referee \_\_\_\_\_ (look) the other way.
2. The cat \_\_\_\_\_ (chase) the bird across the garden when it \_\_\_\_\_ (fall) off the wall.
3. We \_\_\_\_\_ (go) to see if Harry was OK when he \_\_\_\_\_ (hurt) his leg.
4. I \_\_\_\_\_ (not have) time to do gymnastics while I \_\_\_\_\_ (learn) to ski.
5. \_\_\_\_\_ (you / climb) up the mountain when you \_\_\_\_\_ (see) the snake?

#### Part 4: Reading and Writing

Read the article about Madeleine. For question 1 - 10, circle the correct letter A, B or C.

##### AN IRISH TEENAGER'S TYPICAL DAY

My name is Sean O'Brien. I'm fifteen years old and I live in Cork in Ireland. From Monday to Saturday my daily routine is always the same. My mum always starts at seven o'clock in the morning when I get up and wash my face. After that, I do some exercises, put my clothes on, and prepare my school bag. Then I go downstairs and have a breakfast with my mum and dad. I usually have sandwich and a cup of tea, but I never have sausages and eggs. After breakfast I always make my bed and then I go to school. I stay at school from eight o'clock in the morning till half past two in the afternoon. On Mondays and Wednesdays, I stay later because I have drum lessons. On the other days I usually play football with my friends. When I get home, I sometimes help my mother in the house. I usually do my homework from five o'clock to seven o'clock in the evening. At around seven o'clock we all have dinner together. After dinner I usually watch some TV and chat with my family. At 10 o'clock I read a book and go to bed. After such a busy day, I always feel sleepy and ready for my comfortable bed!

1. Sean lives in Dublin in Ireland.  
a. Right      b. wrong      c. doesn't say
2. Sean is fifty years old.  
a. Right      b. wrong      c. doesn't say
3. O'Brien is his name.  
a. Right      b. wrong      c. doesn't say
4. Sean never repeats his routine.  
a. Right      b. wrong      c. doesn't say
5. Sean has a shower at seven o'clock in the morning.  
a. Right      b. wrong      c. doesn't say
6. He never has sausages and eggs for breakfast.  
a. Right      b. wrong      c. doesn't say
7. Sean usually makes his bed before breakfast.  
a. Right      b. wrong      c. doesn't say
8. He has drum lessons On Mondays and Wednesdays.  
a. Right      b. wrong      c. doesn't say
9. He always plays computer games in the evening.  
a. Right      b. wrong      c. doesn't say
10. He reads in bed before going to sleep.  
a. Right      b. wrong      c. doesn't say



Read the article about Sofia Nielsen.  
Choose the best word (A, B or C) for each space.

#### Message in the Bottle

More than 110 years ago a young woman named Sofia Nielsen was walking (1) \_\_\_ the seaside of the North Sea. (2) \_\_\_ the trip she got a crazy idea. She wrote a message, put it in a green bottle and threw the bottle into the North Sea. What she didn't know is that the bottle would survive (3) \_\_\_ long. Last week, a Danish fisherman found Nielsen's bottle when he was on his every day fishing trip. He carried it to a museum.

The historians there discovered that it's the (4) \_\_\_ message in the bottle in the world! They also found Nielsen's grandson, Malthe, (5) \_\_\_ is now 72 years old. He lives in Copenhagen and never (6) \_\_\_ his grandmother who died in 1940. What did the bottle contain? Well, there was a letter inside. Nielsen asked the finder to return (7) \_\_\_ to his home address in Copenhagen. They couldn't read the rest of the message (8) \_\_\_ water got inside and damaged the ink. But (9) \_\_\_ didn't stop the specialists. They're trying to figure out the entire message and hope it'll (10) \_\_\_ possible to read it soon.

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| 1. a. in     | b. on    | c. at      |
| 2. a. When   | b. while | c. during  |
| 3. a. so     | b. too   | c. enough  |
| 4. a. oldest | b. old   | c. older   |
| 5. a. who    | b. which | c. what    |
| 6. a. meets  | b. met   | c. meeting |
| 7. a. them   | b. it    | c. its     |
| 8. a. some   | b. any   | c. A       |
| 9. a. it     | b. on    | c. at      |
| 10. a. is    | b. be    | c. A       |

Read the information. Mark the sentences T (true) or F (false).

Spain has different climate zones. The central area has a continental climate with hot, dry summers and cold winters when it often snows. The North of Spain has cool summers and the winters aren't very cold. The weather there is often quite cloudy and rainy. On the Mediterranean coast, there is rain in spring and autumn. The southern area has an almost African climate and heatwaves often happen in summer.

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| 1. The winters are cold in some parts of Spain.      | _____ |
| 2. It hardly ever snows in the central area.         | _____ |
| 3. In the north, it's usually dry.                   | _____ |
| 4. It can rain in autumn on the Mediterranean coast. | _____ |
| 5. In summer, it can be really hot in the south.     | _____ |

Write the sentences with the comparative form of the adjectives.

John is **more intelligent than** Tom

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| 1. Antarctica / cold / Greece.            | _____ |
| 2. I think spring / colourful / winter.   | _____ |
| 3. My father's tablet / good / mine.      | _____ |
| 4. Edinburgh / far from London / Cardiff. | _____ |
| 5. Austria / big / Switzerland.           | _____ |

Write sentences with **can** or **can't**.

My dad **can't** play tennis, but he **can** play football.

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| 1. Zebras: run fast ✓ – swim ✓                   | _____ |
| 2. I: speak English X – speak French ✓           | _____ |
| 3. The San people: build huts ✓ – hunt animals ✓ | _____ |
| 4. Crocodiles: climb trees ✓ – run very fast X   | _____ |
| 5. My baby brother: walk X – talk X              | _____ |

Complete the sentences with the superlative form of the adjectives.

The cheetah is the fastest (fast) animal in the world.

1. Ushuaia in South America is the \_\_\_\_\_ (far) city from where I live.
2. The \_\_\_\_\_ (expensive) hotels are in Dubai.
3. July is the \_\_\_\_\_ (sunny) month of the year.
4. That was the \_\_\_\_\_ (bad) experience of my life.
5. Where's the \_\_\_\_\_ (cold) place in the world?

### Part 5: Reading and Writing

Write a note to answer her questions.

Read the note from your new friend, Monica.

Write 25-35 words.

Hi Jannete  
I'm really glad that we're going  
to meet at last. What do you  
look like? Where should I wait?  
See you on Friday!

What clothes will you wear?  
Bye,  
Monica


### Part 6: Reading and Writing

#### Spelling

Read the descriptions of some words about food.

What is the word for each one?

The first letter is already there. There is one space for each other letter in the word.

1. You look at it before you order food in a restaurant.
2. It's usually on the table with the salt.
3. We use this small container to drink tea or coffee.
4. They are orange and they grow under the ground.
5. You cannot live without drinking it.

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# LISTENING – PART 1

## Questions 1 – 5

You will hear five short conversations.

You will hear each conversation twice.

There is one question for each conversation.

For each question, choose the right answer (A, B or C).

What time is the man going to see the doctor?



A



B



C

1 What is the girl going to buy for Adam's birthday?



A



B



C

2 What does Zoe want Harry to do?



A



B



C

3 What sport does the boy do now?



A



B



C

4 What does the girl order?



A



B



C

5 Which part of his body has James hurt?



A



B



C